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REMARKS

Claims 1-22 were pending in the application prior to this amendment. Claim 22 has been canceled herein. Claims 1-21 remain in the application unchanged by this amendment. Reconsideration is requested.

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Rejection of Claim 22 under 35 U.S.C. §102(e)

Claim 22 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(e) as being anticipated by Nessett et al. (U.S. Pat. No. 5,968,176).

Claim 22 has been canceled herein.

II. Allowed Claims 1-21

On page 3 of the Office action, the Examiner indicates that claims 1-21 are allowed.

In view of the above, all of the claims currently pending in the application are believed to be in condition for allowance. Re-examination and reconsideration are requested.

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